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**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRIORITY**

Customer Service Window  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314  
MAIL STOP **ISSUE FEE**

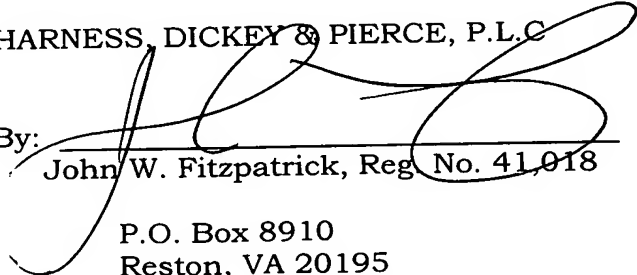
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Sir:

On March 1, 2006, the Priority Document was transmitted from the International Bureau to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, however, the Notice of Allowance or the sole Office Action dated July 30, 2010 do not acknowledge receipt of such Priority document. Therefore, we respectfully request that the Examiner acknowledge this Priority document as well as the Priority claim as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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